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(former Case No. BS 40534-032)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Nixon et al.	
Serial No.: 10/693,425	Examiner: Group, Karl E.
Filing Date: October 24, 2003	Group Art Unit No.: 1755
For: BORON CARBIDE BASED CERAMIC MATRIX COMPOSITES	

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 24, 2005, please reconsider the claims in light of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.